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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of)
Frank Holm Iversen et al.) Examiner: Chong H. Kim
on PISTON COMPRESSOR, PARTICULARLY) Group Art Unit: 3682
HERMETICALLY ENCLOSED REFRIGERANT) COMPRESSOR
Serial No.: 09/977,409) Confirmation No. 3178
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Hartford, Connecticut, April 26, 2005

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is a response to an Office Action dated April 6, 2005 having a shortened statutory period for a reply set to expire on June 6, 2005.

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